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Today's Topics:

Announcement - ARRL Information Mail Server (info@arrl.org) (2 msgs)  
                  anyone heard of USA BUREAU?  
                  Has anyone else noticed  
                  MFJ Super HiQ Loop Antenna  
                  motive ...

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Problems you can't solve otherwise to brian@ucsd.edu.

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We trust that readers are intelligent enough to realize that all text  
herein consists of personal comments and does not represent the official  
policies or positions of any party. Your mileage may vary. So there.

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Date: Sat, 10 Apr 1993 04:54:21 GMT  
From: news.Hawaii.Edu!uhunix.uhcc.Hawaii.Edu!jherman@ames.arpa  
Subject: Announcement - ARRL Information Mail Server (info@arrl.org)  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In article <khj.734415085@beagle> khj@cs.appstate.edu (Kenneth Jacker) writes:  
>ehare@arrl.org (Ed Hare - KA1CV) writes:

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>>The American Radio Relay League (ARRL) has a useful service -- the ARRL  
>>Information Mail Server. This is an automated mail server that let's you  
>>access many of our information files, containing information about various  
>>facets of Amateur Radio. You can retrieve any or all of these files by  
>>sending an email message to info@arrl.org here at ARRL HQ.

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>I have sent two separate requests for additional information to the ARRL  
>Server. So far I have received \*nothing\* in return.

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>Anyone else have any luck?

They have been VERY prompt and overly helpful to all my requests.

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I've written some e-mail responder programs before and it's really frustrating when you get messages you can't reply to... it may not be what happened in your case but it does happen.

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Date: Sat, 10 Apr 1993 05:25:56 GMT  
From: usc!howland.reston.ans.net!europa.eng.gtefsd.com!emory!athena!  
aisun3.ai.uga.edu!mcovingt@network.UCSD.EDU

Subject: anyone heard of USA BUREAU?  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

In article <C56Lrv.t@srigenprp.sr.hp.com> alanb@sr.hp.com (Alan Bloom) writes:  
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>I was assuming that they pay the postage for sending out cards.  
>I also assume it is to be a profit-making operation. At 4 cents per [etc]  
>  
>One possible problem: They are in some sense competing with the US  
>Postal Service. There may be some legal problems with Postal Service  
>regulations. (USPS is a government-mandated monopoly.)  
>AL N1AL

Not really. All the mail is transported by U.S. Postal Service; they merely accumulate it and repackage it. They are providing only a secretarial service.

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Date: 10 Apr 93 04:27:22 GMT  
From: usc!zaphod.mps.ohio-state.edu!saimiri.primate.wisc.edu!  
usenet.coe.montana.edu!logicse!sequent!muncher.sequent.com!edw@network.UCSD.EDU  
Subject: Has anyone else noticed  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

Has anyone else noticed that on a bunch of the records for  
folks with APO addresses that the update date is 1892 !  
Talk about an OLLLLLLLLLD Ham .

Ed

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-- I think I've got the hang of it now .... :w :q :wq :wq! ^d X exit ^X^C ~.  
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ZZZZ ^H ^@ ^L ^[c \$q ^# ^E ^X ^I ^T ? help helpquit ^D ^d ^C ^c help  
^]q exit ?Quit ?q anybackbone!sequent!edw edw@sequent.COM KA9AHQ 28.340

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Date: Fri, 9 Apr 93 22:25:10 PDT  
From: portal!cup.portal.com!DT@uunet.uu.net

Subject: MFJ Super HiQ Loop Antenna  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

I also tried calling MFJ three days ago, They told me the antenna would be available in 10-12 weeks. I also asked about their new electronic keyers, they said those would not be available for 4 weeks. It seems they don't keep much of an inventory.

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Date: Fri, 9 Apr 1993 14:37:44 GMT  
From: usc!zaphod.mps.ohio-state.edu!darwin.sura.net!knuth.mtsu.edu!raider!  
theporch!jackatak!jackhill@network.UCSD.EDU  
Subject: motive ...  
To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

kme@node\_17aa4.bnr.ca (Ken Michael Edwards) writes:  
> There are those who still believe a homosexual lifestyle is wrong. You  
> are advocating forcing a lifestyle on those individuals.  
THAT tears it! I have heard that argument more times than I can count  
and it is, simply, the most vacuous, ignorant, ill-informed,  
perjorative, prejudicial and idiotic one of them all.

Just to set the record "straight" (with apologies to the gay and  
lesbian hams who could probably state their case more eloquently ;^) I  
am straight, the father of four (yeah, I know that means nothing, but  
some narrow-minded people might actually equate the sperm delivery  
process with "manliness", and so I toss it in... ;^) and have been a  
ham for 37 years. I am 51 years old...an OLD FART!!! And, I have many  
many friends, both social and Ham, who are gay/lesbian. They are HUMAN  
BEINGS.

What these people want, Ken (and others) is NOT that you adopt their  
"lifestyle", but that you simply accord to them the rights they have  
as human beings, and not attempt to diminish them simply because in  
your narrow mind and miniscule little heart you can not bring yourself  
to be a decent human being and abide by the "live and let live"  
principles.

You can look the other way when an advertisement for a missionary net,  
or the Jewish hams appears, but leap up in self-righteous fervor and  
jump to the conclusion that a simple announcement for a Ham radio  
group, wishing to be able to more easily contact each other without  
having to ask, on the air, and stir up all you maniacal homophobes,  
whether the person they are addressing shares some significant life  
pattern.

> please post only to the radio.amateur.policy, or I

> will not respond.

Do everyone a favor, and unless you have something CONSTRUCTIVE to add, don't jump in simply to demonstrate your manifold intolerance and bigotry...it doesn't become you...

> Ken M. Edwards, Bell Northern Research, Research Triangle Park, NC  
> All opinions are my own and do not necessarily reflect the views of  
> my employer or co-workers, family, friends, congress, or president.  
Odd you feel the need to state the incredibly obvious when your opinions barely have room in your heart and brain for anything else...

"Flame Shields at the Ready, Scotty!"

"Aye-Aye, Captain!"

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| Jack GF Hill          |Voice: (615) 459-2636 - Bicycling and SCUBA Diving |
| P. O. Box 1685        |Modem: (615) 377-5980 - Compu$erve 76427,31 |
| Brentwood, TN 37024  |jackhill@jackatak.raider.net - Ham Call: W4PPT |
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Date: 10 Apr 93 03:53:50 GMT

From: pacbell.com!amdahl!amdahl!ikluft@network.UCSD.EDU

To: info-hams@ucsd.edu

References <199303291449.AA05938@cardamom.unx.sas.com>,

<1993Apr5.172426.3129@ve6mgs.ampr.org>, <C567wM.HvE@pacifier.rain.com>

Subject : Re: RFD: reorganization of rec.radio.amateur

mikef@pacifier.rain.com (Mike Freeman) writes:

>Does ucbvax.berkeley.edu still exist (haven't tried to finger it)?

>It hasn't been mentioned, so far as I am aware, in the ham radio

>faq, for some time.

UC Berkeley asked us to remove their news-posting mail target from the FAQ.

It is only for use from within the UCB campus.

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